

MINISTER WOODFORD RECALLED

And Diplomatic Relations With Spain Are Formally Severed—Minister Polo Must Depart.

GREAT DEMONSTRATIONS ARE BEING PREPARED FOR CONSUL-GENERAL LEE.

He Will Appear Before a Congressional Committee Monday—All Americans Will Leave Havana Tomorrow.

PRESIDENT M'KINLEY THIS MORNING SAID THE SITUATION IS STILL UNCHANGED.

Spain Refuses Finally to Yield to the Demands of This Country, and Rushes Her Preparations For War.

GENERAL GRANT'S GRANDSON

Wants to Be a Member of General Fitzhugh Lee's Staff.

A ROYAL WELCOME FOR LEE.

Is Being Prepared For the Old Hero When He Reaches Washington.

Washington, April 8.—Bulletin, 2:20 p. m.—The administration firmly expects a declaration of war by Wednesday.

President McKinley has ordered Minister Woodford to leave Spain tonight and come home.

This act is a formal severance of diplomatic relations with Spain.

It is expected that Minister Polo will be given his passports at once. Spain has reiterated her refusal to concede to the demands of this country.

A great demonstration is being prepared for General Lee when he reaches this city Monday. It will be the grandest affair of the kind ever known.

A grandson of General U. S. Grant has applied for a position on General Lee's staff, when he takes the field. General Lee has wired that he will be glad to fight side by side with a Grant.

Washington, April 8.—A brief cabinet meeting was held this morning at which the recall of Minister Woodford from Spain and the safety of the Americans in Havana were considered.

Everything points to the fact that the administration expects war. There is nothing to indicate that Spain will concede anything, and yet there is a remarkably peaceful tone about the Spanish press.

Bulletin 2:45 p. m.—Military and naval plans are being completed preparatory to the opening of hostilities.

The formal declaration of war by this government is being prepared.

Washington, April 8.—Consul General Lee has been ordered to appear in this city Monday before the senate committee on foreign relations.

Lee called today that he would be ready to leave Havana tomorrow and that he thinks all Americans will be gone by that time.

The Olivette will leave Havana tomorrow afternoon and General Lee has notified American citizens there that this will be the last opportunity to leave Havana under the American flag.

It is rumored that General Lee has startling evidence of Spanish treachery in connection with the destruction of the battleship Maine to lay before the committee.

The calling home of Consul-General Lee by the administration is regarded as the most significant action yet, and as presaging an early rupture with Spain.

Both houses of congress are now adjourned until Monday, and there will probably be no change at all in the situation before that day. As the President said yesterday the case is closed and will not be reopened without a change in conditions, which means that Spain must concede everything.

The answer made by the President to the foreign powers yesterday

shows that there is absolutely no hope for peace through the mediation of European nations. It is not believed that the appeal of the Queen Regent of Spain to Queen Victoria will prevail upon her to attempt mediation.

Washington, April 8.—General Grosvenor saw the President this morning who said to him that there is no change whatever in the situation and that war cannot be averted. The President is showing the effects of the strain that he has been under for the past few weeks, but except a careworn look, he exhibits no sign of the approaching crisis.

M'KINLEY'S MESSAGE

Withheld at the Request of General Lee Until Next Monday.

The Message Will Come Monday, and Will Be Even Stronger Than at First Written.

Washington, April 8.—The Washington Post's summary of the situation yesterday morning is as follows: "The temporary withholding of the President's message from congress was due to the receipt of a telegram from Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, our consul-general at Havana, advising, that if the message contemplated armed intervention, it be deferred until all Americans in Cuba could leave the island. He stated that the exodus could be completed by the 10th inst. Members of the senate and house, upon being shown this dispatch, promptly concurred in the opinion of the president and the cabinet that the message should be delayed until Monday. The utmost confidence is felt by the administration and congress in the wisdom and good judgment of Gen. Lee in any emergency. The rumors of disturbances in Havana are not confirmed, but the conditions there are extremely threatening. Consul-General Lee is still at his post and will remain there until all other Americans are safe. The President's message has only been changed in that it will ask congress to authorize and direct immediate intervention. Otherwise the message will stand as heretofore outlined, and, as the Post stated on Tuesday morning, it will be of such a vigorous, ringing character as to meet the full expectations of congress and the country. It will inevitably mean war. Hostilities can only be averted by Spain herself declaring the independence of Cuba and yielding her sovereign power over the island.

"Negotiations with Spain have not been reopened by the United States, and will not be. The queen regent has not sent a personal message to the President making a new proposal for peace."

R. R. MAN SUICIDES.

Sad Death of a Prominent Citizen of Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., April 8.—Col. Albert Schraeder, a prominent citizen and long an agent of the Ohio Valley railroad, was found dead in bed in his room at the Vendome hotel this morning. He committed suicide by taking poison. No cause is given for his action.

EASTER SHOES.

The prettiest ever offered for sale in Paducah, at George Bernhard's.

SPAIN IS PREPARING FOR WAR.

Getting Ready for the Terrible Conflict That Cannot Now Be Averted.

IMPORTANT CABINET MEETING.

Minister Woodford Recalled and Safety of Americans in Cuba Considered.

Washington, April 8.—The adjournment of congress until Monday and the consequent fact that there will be nothing done before that time has produced a quieter feeling here today.

But the belief is general that war cannot be averted. All Spanish advances indicate that Spain is firmer today than ever in her determination not to back down. Her preparations for war are being rushed in a manner that means war.

The president stated this morning that mediation is impossible, and in this position he has the unanimous support of every member of congress. After his answer yesterday it is most improbable that any foreign power will even hint at mediation again.

THE POWERS SPEAK.

What Their Embassadors Said Yesterday to the President.

The Answer of the President—The Insufferable Affairs in Cuba Must End.

Washington, April 8.—The spokesmen of the ambassadors, who called on the president yesterday as representatives of the Powers, said to the president:

"The undersigned, representatives of Germany, Austria, Hungary, France, Great Britain, Italy and Russia, duly authorized in that behalf, address in the name of their respective governments, a pressing appeal to the feelings of humanity, and moderation of the president and of the American people, in their existing differences with Spain. They earnestly hope that further negotiations will lead to an agreement which, while securing the maintenance of peace, will afford all necessary guarantees for the re-establishment of order in Cuba.

"The Powers do not doubt that the humanitarian and purely disinterested character of this representation will be fully recognized and appreciated by the American nation."

THE REPLY OF THE PRESIDENT.

President McKinley replied as follows: "The government of the United States recognizes the good will which has prompted the friendly communication of the representatives of Germany, Austria, Hungary, France, Great Britain, Italy and Russia, as set forth in the address of your excellencies, and shares the hope there expressed that the outcome of the situation in Cuba may be the maintenance of peace between the United States and Spain, by affording the necessary guarantees for the re-establishment of order in the island, so terminating the chronic condition of disturbance there which so deeply injures the interests and menaces the tranquility of the American nation by the character and the consequences of the struggle thus kept up at our doors, besides shocking its sentiment of humanity. The government of the United States appreciates the humanitarian and disinterested character of the communication now made on behalf of the Powers

armed, and for its part is confident that equal appreciation will be shown for its own earnest and unselfish endeavors to fulfill a duty to humanity by ending a situation, the indefinite prolongation of which has become insufferable."

FRESH FROM SPAIN.
Kentuckian Says All Classes Are Clamoring for War.

Vanceburg, Ky., April 8.—W. S. Parker, a wealthy mine owner of the Argentine Republic, a native of this country, and cousin of Judge Paynter, of the court of appeals, arrived in Vanceburg yesterday morning direct from Spain. He has been in the latter country the past ten months. He says to your correspondent the war feeling in America is not half as clamorous as it is in Spain.

"Not only the lower classes, but the higher classes are infused with the spirit," says he. "Only a limited few included in the government class have any intelligent comprehension of the magnitude of this government. The inspiring motive for war there is booty above vengeance. The Spanish are not a traveling nation, and there are thousands of the educated classes who believe that the Spanish navy could make an easy conquest of the American ports. They believe that their navy could with little opposition bombard the principal ports of the United States and levy tribute on this great nation with which to fill their empty treasury. The hatred for Americans is as violent as their ignorance in relation to us is profound.

"Gen. Weyler is the idol of the army, and the army is the pride of the masses. An American, to get along among the Spanish, must do as I do—conciliate the priesthood."

Mr. Parker left this country a plow boy twenty years ago. He is now worth half a million. He will go to Frankfort next Monday to visit Judge Paynter, after which he will start for Klondike.

A LOST HORSE.

Mr. Prince, of Fulton, Arrives in Paducah After a Stolen Rig—Traces it Up.

He Claims He Hired It to George D. Earnhart—A Warrant May Be Issued to the Latter.

Mr. Prince found at one of the livery stables where the horse had been sold. A farmer in the county bought horse, buggy and harness for \$40.

Earnhart is alleged to have sold them. He paid Mr. Willet \$15 he owed him. It is likely a warrant will be issued by Judge Sanders this afternoon for horse stealing.

A reward of \$50 will then be out for him, as there is a standing order from the state for that amount for all horse thieves.

Mr. Prince went out in the country this afternoon to claim the horse.

Mr. Louis Rebout, clerk at the St. Nicholas, lost \$10 when Earnhart departed. The latter sent for his overcoat, and another one was sent him in mistake. The owner decided that he had to have \$10, and Earnhart never returned the coat he was sent through mistake.

HOSPITAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Many Good Things Being Done by Mr. Kinney.

The city hospital is being greatly improved. Mr. Kinney, the hospital keeper, is making many strides toward perfection. The yard has been given a layer of sod, and water works have been put in everywhere. Mr. Kinney has even spent his own money in improving the hospital building and surroundings.

EASTER EGG HUNT.

A class of little girls of the Broadway Methodist Sunday school will have an Easter egg hunt for the benefit of the new church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the yard of Mrs. S. M. Gardner, corner Eleventh and Jefferson. All children invited.

Make Easter complete by wearing a pair of George Bernhard's Easter shoes.

Dr. C. N. Thomas' great lecture on Cuba tonight in Y. M. C. A. hall. He is just from the island.

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May pork	9.15	9.85	9.15	9.32
May lard	5.15	5.20	5.15	5.15
May ribs	5.15	5.20	5.15	5.15
May cotton	5.06	5.05	5.04	5.06

DEATH IN THE COUNTY.

The remains of Mrs. Abbie Leach, of the Maxon's Mills vicinity, were brought to the city today and carried to Livingston county for interment. The deceased was 32 years old and had been sick about two months.

HOME FIRM NOTICED ABROAD.

"Friedman, Keller & Co., distillers of Paducah, Ky., in advertising their 'J. W. Palmer' brand of whiskey invite the trade to write for a free sample, which will be sent by express, prepaid."—The National Advertiser, N. Y.

Charity Ball.

The public should not forget the charity ball to be given in the Campbell building on April 15th by the Plasterers' union. The proceeds of which will be expended for the relief of those in distress. There will be good music and a nice time. Admission 50c. Young ladies will call on the public with tickets in a few days.

W. L. VINT, J. W. HEDGES, Committee.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

To the Memory of the Late Rev. J. C. Hendrick, D. D.

At a meeting of the session of the First Presbyterian church of Paducah, Ky., held on Sunday, April 3, 1898, the following paper was adopted:

Whereas, In the fullness of time, and in the course of the Father's goodness, wherein he doeth all things well for those who love him, it has pleased the Almighty to take home to himself the spirit of our beloved former pastor, Rev. J. T. Hendrick, who departed this life at his home in Waco, Texas, March 10, 1898.

Resolved, That the going out of the light of his life, and the coming of joy, and eternal peace and blessing to the spirit of our departed brother is none the less a deep and profound sorrow to us, and with sad hearts we bow in humble submission to the will of God. The ministry and pastoral care of Dr. Hendrick in our church during a quarter of a century was a means of grace that has and ever will be a source of joy and happiness to us. We remember him as he ministered unto us in all the conditions of life: leading us in the way of Christ life, both by precept and example, cheering and comforting us when on the bed of affliction, or when going through the dark shadow of the valley of death. At the font, at the altar, at the time of consecration, in all the walks of a shepherd of God's chosen ones, his was a labor of love, leading and guiding us into a knowledge of eternal truth and righteousness.

We remember him as one whose whole life was consecrated to the service of the Master, filled with the spirit of love; fearless in the discharge of the duty set before him,

yet ever ready to cherish and sympathize with those in distress. Truly one of the mighty men of God.

Our church is sensible of his unremitting zeal for the advancement of the kingdom of God, and his untiring efforts to make those who were committed to his pastoral care, faithful, earnest servants in the Master's vineyard. To his sorrow-stricken family bowed down in their grief, in this hour of their great bereavement, we extend our heartfelt sympathy, and pray earnestly that a loving Heavenly Father will enable them to see in this affliction which the Lord has sent upon them the hand of Him who in gentleness and love, doeth all things well; and that this dispensation of His providence may be a means of grace unto them which shall draw them to, and keep them ever near His side.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this session, that a copy be sent to the family of our deceased friend, and that our city papers be requested to publish same.

W. E. CAVE, Moderator.

D. B. SHERRER, Clerk.

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MORE INSURRECTIONS.

Vancouver, B. C., April 8.—There have been very exciting times in the Philippines. Spanish troops being surprised and massacred. The Bolina staff of the Eastern Extension Telegraph company were practically besieged for five days on account of Spanish soldiers taking refuge there.

From a Spanish gunboat a detachment of marines were landed, and the station opened after firing between the station and rebel camp.

New York, April 8.—A steamer from St. Thomas brings news that an uprising has taken place in Porto Rico, and that in an engagement between insurgents and Spanish troops a score of men were killed.

YOUNG LADIES, ATTENTION!

Get a pair of those Easter shoes just received and now on sale at George Bernhard's.

A CHILD'S DEATH.

The 2-year-old child of Engineer Edwards, at Broadway near Tenth, died today. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Hear Dr. C. N. Thomas lecture on Cuba tonight, in Y. M. C. A. hall. He is just from Cuba and knows.

HE WAS DUG OUT.

One of the Hibernian laborers on the sewerage works had to be dug out of a ditch on Jefferson street near Second this afternoon. There was a slight collapse and he was buried up to the waist, but not hurt.

Dr. C. N. Thomas, who will lecture in Y. M. C. A. hall tonight, is a great orator and has just returned from Cuba. Everybody should hear him.

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Hal Windsor's breast and brought the
sparkle to his eye as he ascended the
steps of Mr. Rodman's handsome
mansion, and deliberately pulled the
bell? There was no need of haste.
He knew all that would follow. Now,
in a moment, the ponderous door
would be swung open, and the liveried
servant stand ready to receive his hat
and cane, then usher him with ob-
sequious formality into the large and
brilliantly lighted drawing-room.
There might be many there to wel-
come the rising young barrister, but
of one smile he felt assured—the
smile which never failed him, which
the fair daughter of the house always
wore for him. She would come for-
ward, a slight, graceful figure, with
outstretched hand, which, holding a
moment in his own, he knew would
gladly permit its imprisonment for-
ever. She was an heiress, too, her
father's only child, and though Hal
would have spurned the idea of mar-
rying for money, the accompaniment
would by no means be undesirable to
the furtherance of his ambitious aims.
Therefore, if vanity it is which swells
his manly breast, it is not altogether
unpardonable as he steps inside from
the cold, frosty air into the luxuriant
light and warmth, and the panorama
as viewed in imagination, becomes re-
ality. Then voices break upon the
scene and he has a play—only there
is no audience, and it is the play of
life.
"So glad to see you, Mr. Windsor,"
says the host, coming forward with his
most genial air. "We are quite
alone to-night. Nellie, Mr. Win-
dors." Yes, the smile is not wanting,
nor the little outstretched hand
sparkling with jewels, and into the
dark eyes leaps a light which it is all
too easy for the man of the world to
recognize. Why should he not speak
to-night? He questions himself. Is
not this lovely feeling which thrills
him here, or if not the all-consuming
passion as depicted—the passion
Heaven help him, he once wasted on
a woman's glance—surely it is a more
enduring and a better thing. Here
all would be smooth waters; no turbu-
lent current, no waves to lash against
a hopeless shore—no one, in his true,
to share his ambitious dreams, but
who, sitting quietly in her well-ap-
pointed home, would glory in the re-
flected lustre of his glory. So when
they two had wandered off into the
music room, her fingers listlessly
playing with the keys of the instru-
ment before she was seated, he sud-
denly stooped, and, pinning both
little hands with his own, asked her
to be his wife. Aye, was he not sure
of his answer? Did he need the gen-
tle whisper which passed the trem-
bling lips, the low drooping of the
fair young head until it nestled on his
broad shoulder, the look of exquisite
happiness which transformed the
girl's face into a beauty scarcely hu-
man, since it was love, pure and un-
selfish, which brought the change.
"What have I done?" she said, at
last, looking upward into the hand-
some eyes bent upon her, "to deserve
such happiness? Oh, Hal, how could
you, so grand, so noble, stoop to me?"
"Hush, child," he answers, and,
as in two mirrors he saw his own life,
with its hours of pain and passion,
sole by side with the clean, pure rec-
ord of one who called herself un-
worthy his choice, a flush of almost
shame dyed his cheek.
"My darling, beside the written vol-
ume of your life mine is not fit to let
its pages touch; but, little one, if your
hand will turn the future leaves, God
grant they may be such as not even to
soul them."
"As if you could do wrong?" she
says, with radiant eyes.
So they part until the morning, and
the sweet young lips cling for a mo-
ment to his own, and a whispered
"God bless you!" falls on her ear, and
once again Hal Windsor goes out into
the night. But in his heart it is all
sunshine. Somehow this girl's faith
and love have awakened stronger feel-
ings than he knew were there.
So he enters his room, where his
servant has prepared everything in
readiness, and fire and lights are
awaiting him. On his table lies a let-
ter. Not for ten long years has he
seen that writing, and his face pales
as he takes the crested envelope into
his hand. A faint scent pervades the
air as he does so, the odor of crushed
violets. Time, place, all are forgot-
ten as that subtle perfume carries him
back a half-score years, and he stands,
a man of 25, in a woman's boudoir,
and she, a woman, smiles at his ap-
proach—a woman whose years equal
his, but whose beauty is so glorious,
so transcendent, that years are for-
gotten. One does not think of time
within that regal presence, and with
that smile she hurls him to his doom,
and with that smile she slays him.
It is still there, calm and pitiless,
when she tells him she has sold her-
self to Mammon, and when, in his
frenzy, he pleads that she will let
him work, toil, gain name and fame
and wealth, it vanishes, only to break
into a low, rippling, silvery laugh, as
tapping him with her fan, she an-
swers: "Love! Yes, I love you, but
what then? Could you not give me
all my needs I should hate you. Some
day, mon ami, you will thank me."
And the smile faded not when, in mad
rage, he left her.
But slowly he comes back to the
present, still standing, holding the
letter crushed in his hand, the writ-
ing blazing before his eyes, which,
after resting on the sweet girl pres-
ence they have left, it seems to have
brought another atmosphere into his
life. For a moment, he hesitates
whether to toss it unread into the
fire, then breaks the seal and mecha-
nically reads the lines.
"I told you to forget. Yet have
you not forgotten. You are still un-
married, so they tell me. I am a
widow. The old dream is dead. We
will not resurrect its ashes, but I
need a friend. I am at the Hotel
Vendome, and shall be at home to-
morrow evening awaiting you. Shall
I wait in vain? Yours,
"ELISE VAUGHN."

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save them from the rapacious felices
of the locality. After about half his
chicks had been devoured, he came
to the conclusion that the only feasi-
ble way to do it was to exterminate
the cat population. He procured a
Robert rifle and with commendable
reluctance began his task. All went
well for a while. The cats began to
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or two ago at Cairo to Will Jones,
aged 33 years, and Miss Alice May-
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This will be the first in-
formation for many people that
Alexander county, Ill., has a
Klondike. They have perhaps heard
of the gold discoveries in that county
and the formation of a Chicago com-
pany to mine for it, which company
has obtained options on thousands of
acres of land, but that it has a verita-
ble Klondike is known to but few. It
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six paper discs in each package, only 3c.
We have others—all of the best brands.

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DRUGGISTS
Fifth and Broadway.

**WRITTEN
AT RANDOM.**

A well-known gentleman of the
North Side recently undertook to
raise chickens and at the same time
save them from the rapacious felices
of the locality. After about half his
chicks had been devoured, he came
to the conclusion that the only feasi-
ble way to do it was to exterminate
the cat population. He procured a
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A Michigan farmer comes to the
point with the most unique bequest
on record. Or rather he left it in-
stead of coming to the point with it.
He died not long ago, and when his
will was read, it was found that he
bequeathed his farm and forty acres
of land to his beloved wife, and the
remainder of his estate, valued at
\$10,000, to Barnum's circus. The
indicated the old fellow must have
enjoyed the circus, even in his old
age. The will may be set aside on
the grounds that the decedent was
crazy. No man, especially a farmer
who had been bumped on red lemon-
ade, shell games, and other circus
concomitants, would ever think a
circus needed money.

It happened a night or two ago. A
few passengers slumbered in the
waiting room on the benches. The
train was not but three hours late.
The agent, tired out and sleepy,
closed the window and retired. His
slumbers were disturbed shortly by a
terrible pounding on the window.
Rubbing his eyes, he arose in wrath
and his robe de nuit and elevated the
window.
"Say, pard, I jes' wanted ter ask
ye when the lightnin' express will git
here," quoth the nocturnal interloper,
as he poked his face pryingly inside
the window.
"There it is now, ye gibbering
idiot," retorted the agent, as he took
goose and landed on the officious
inquirer's right cheek bone with his
fist, and then slammed down the
window. The passenger was satis-
fied.

Conductor Hansbro was in the city
yesterday. He was strolling about
when he ran across several of his
friends—conductors, friends and Pas-
senger friends. The conversation
drifted to war and Shawneetown, and
then Conductor Hansbro remarked:
"Well, boys, I've had an addition
to my family since I saw you last!"
He smiled proudly as he spoke.
"That so?" smiled one.
"Good boy," said another.
"Bet it's a girl," wagged a third,
who may have been a cynic.
"What is she, a boy or a girl?"
asked another, manifesting more in-
terest than the others.
"Why," explained the conductor,
"it's a Berkshire pig, and we are all
very fond of him. I bought him in
Memphis the other day." He had
the laugh on the boys, but it cost
him the cigars just the same.

**COLORED
DEPARTMENT.**

The pastor of the Trimble-street
church, Rev. S. R. Cotter, will de-
liver the fourth in the series of eight
lectures, tonight, at the Cumberland
Presbyterian church, corner Ninth
and Burnett streets, on the subject of
"Despondency." Rev. Cotter, who
has been up the Tennessee river, re-
turned this morning.

THE GREAT DELIVERANCE.
Easter, which the larger part of
Christiandom will celebrate Sunday,
is purely a Christian festival, though
the name comes to us through the
mythology of the Teutonic race, and
perpetuates the celebrations once held
in honor of a heathen goddess.
The German word for Easter has the
same origin, but many other Euro-
pean languages denote it by names
borrowed from the Hebrew—"pas-
sach," or Passover.

Much has been said and written
about the Easter festival finding its
counterpart in other systems of reli-
gion in various countries and among
many races of men. Exactly what
this would prove, if it were admitted,
is not apparent. That God reveals
Himself though nature is not contro-
verted by the believers in a direct
revelation. If we will only take the
pains to look, we can see Him every
day.
The nature worship, which forms
so large a part of the religious sys-
tems of heathen nations, especially in
the earlier stages of their develop-
ment, was the consequence of the ef-
forts of mankind to find God in the
works of His hand.
The alternation of night and day
and the changes of the seasons must
necessarily have profoundly impress-
ed the imaginations of untutored races
of men. The deliverance of nature
from the icy fetters of winter was not
merely an impressive object lesson,
but it was also a season for great joy
for people badly housed. The cele-
bration of an event so auspicious
naturally took a religious turn. All
the powers and aspects of nature
were personified, and with the revolu-
tion of the idea, mythology became
more and more complex. Adonis in
Syria, Osiris in Egypt, Vishnu in In-
dia, Proserpina in Greece embodied
ideas nearly identical in their origin,
but variously modified by the sur-
roundings and the temper of different
races. In all of them, however, we
find the idea of the resurrection dimly
shadowed forth, and connected more
or less intimately with spring. This
was the teaching of nature, that is,
God in and speaking through nature.

In the Jewish Passover we advance
a step farther. This feast did not
have its origin in nature-worship,
but in the dealings of Jehovah with
His chosen people. It commemorates
first the passing over of the habita-
tions of the Jews when the Angel
of Death smote the first-born of the
Egyptians. It also celebrates
another event, closely associated with
the first—that is, the deliverance of
the Jewish nation from Egyptian
bondage. It is easy to believe that
it was not by accident that this event
occurred at the opening of spring.
But you will see that the fundamental
idea of deliverance is still preserved.
God delivered His people from im-
pending death and from bondage,
and appointed the Passover as a
memorial. But in this celebration
the Paschal lamb was to be slain,

thus adding to the idea of deliver-
ance that of sacrifice. This is the
teaching of God and His Providence.
In the feast of Easter reappears
the idea of deliverance, associated
with a completed sacrifice. But how
infinitely exalted are these concep-
tions, as compared with those that
were connected with the earlier festi-
vals. Instead of the lamb offered
by the head of each family for the
deliverance of his household, we have
the sublime presentation of the
"Lamb of God that taketh away the
sins of the world." Instead of the
escape of Day from the embrace of
Night, instead of the breaking of the
fetters of ice by which winter held
nature a captive, instead of the mere
deliverance of a nation from bondage,
we find in this the glorious concep-
tion of deliverance from the power of
Death, the conquest of the last great
enemy. It is the most inspiring
thought that ever found lodgment in
the human mind.

It is for this reason that we say
Easter is a Christian festival. It is
here the conception of the resurrec-
tion first distinctly and unmistakably
appears, not in myth or legend, not
in type or shadow, but in concrete
form, in the person of an historic
Character, in the Representative of
the human race. In the First-born
from the dead, the Deliverer of the
race. It is this great deliverance
that Easter teaches as it never taught
before the happening of the stupendous
event which Sunday will com-
memorate.

There is no feast, festival or mem-
orial day that expresses a faith so
sublime, a hope so inspiring, or which
can form the basis of a charity so
comprehensive and fruitful as that of
Easter. The regeneration of the
world is in this faith and this hope.
They are not peculiar to Christiani-
ty, it is true. Paganism had them
in the germ; Judaism in the bud;
but Christianity alone presents them
in the full flower and fruit.

Don't forget the Tom Thum/
wedding and egg hunt at Wash-
ton Street church this evening.

GOOD ADDITIONS.
Lawyer Whitney left yesterday af-
ternoon for Glasgow, Ky., where he
has gone to wind up his business,
preparatory to making our city his
home. In a few days he will be back
and put out his shingle. Dr. Boggs
has already put out his, making two
worthy acquisitions to our com-
munity in the last week or two.
We wish both these gentlemen suc-
cess in their new field of labor.

Mrs. Mary Hamilton, of 712
Jackson street, was buried last Wed-
nesday from the residence. Rev. G.
W. Stoner officiating. She was a
widow, 34 years of age. The inter-
ment took place at Oak Grove cem-
etery.

REINDER TO CARRY MAIL.
A New and Unique Feature in the
Alaskan Postal Service.
J. P. Clum is chief of the division
of inspectors and of mail depreda-
tions in the post office department.
He has gone to Alaska to establish
mail routes and to make the best pos-
sible arrangement for supplying the
territory's increasing population sat-
isfactory postal facilities. Referring
to the reindeer purchased last win-
ter by the government, he said:
"They will be driven and tended
by their old Lapland friends. These
men have in most cases been engaged
in transporting mails from the Stock-
holm and St. Petersburg govern-
ments, and are familiar with the use
of reindeer for that purpose. We
shall no doubt use the deer to a large
extent in moving the Alaskan mails
through the territory.
The animals will be divided into
three expeditions. One expedition
will take the Dalton trail—entirely
overland, of course—from the vicin-
ity of Taiya to Dawson City. This
party will carry in such supplies and
medical stores as seem to be needed.
After reaching Dawson City the party
will turn about and explore the Tan-
ana district, south of Circle City, in
American territory, where gold is said
to be plentiful. The second and
third expeditions will proceed to
Prince William Sound, 300 miles west
of Taiya. From the sound one ex-
pedition will start up the Copper
river and explore it thoroughly. The
third expedition will go still further
west to Cook's inlet, and will then try
to work its way overland to the north-
east into the Tanana country. There
it will aim to join the first expedition
that came by way of Dawson.

"I feel pretty sure that the reindeer
will solve the transportation problem
in Alaska, and will hasten immeas-
urably the complete exploration and
development of the country."—St.
Paul Pioneer Press.

Eyes of Insects.
The ant has three simple and two
compound eyes, the latter consisting
of from 250 to 1,200 lenses each. The
ordinary house fly has 4,000 lenses,
the gad fly 11,000 and the dragon fly
20,000 lenses to each eye.

The Intellect.
The intellect is the dignified fac-
ulty. It will not run, but insists on
marching, keeping step in orderly
process.—Frank Crane.

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out of that, and we always have to see
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you know a good thing when you see it.
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Ladies' extra heavy plain or brocaded satin skirts, worth \$12.00, go for \$7.98.

Figured mohair skirts, odd sizes, \$1.00.

Wonders in Waists—Silk waists in extremely handsome styles, the newest and largest stock in the city. Five dollar silk waists go for \$2.98; \$7.50 silk waists go for \$3.98.

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6:30 p. m. 7:15 p. m.
12:30 a. m. 12:30 a. m.

Memphis and South.
ARRIVE P. O. 6:30 a. m. DEPART P. O. 7:15 a. m.
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St. Louis and West.
ARRIVE P. O. 6:30 a. m. DEPART P. O. 7:15 a. m.
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Evansville and Ohio River Points.
ARRIVE P. O. 6:30 a. m. DEPART P. O. 7:15 a. m.
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Benton and N. C. & St. L. South.
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LOCAL MENTION.

TO START A NEW STORE.

A new dry goods store is shortly to be opened in Paducah. According to reports it will be established by the Hubb Merchandise company, of St. Louis, in the Riecke building, on Broadway.

FISH HEADQUARTERS.

Just received—a fine lot of fresh fish, such as Lobsters, Crabs, Perch, Snappers, Smelts, Shad, Salmon, Florida Mollusks, and all other kinds of fish at the French Market, T. D. Harris, 124 S. 2d, street free delivery. 'Phone 185.

ALWAYS AHEAD.

George Bernhard has brought on a beautiful line of Easter shoes. They will be put on sale tonight and tomorrow. Get a pair before they are all gone.

WANTS TO LOCATE.

Mr. R. W. Foster, of Trenton Tenn., is desirous of locating a dry goods business in Paducah, and is now in the city seeking a suitable location.

DROPPED THE HAMS.

A negro entered Mr. John Rogers' grocery, on West Broadway, last night about 8 o'clock, and while Mr. Rogers was waiting on a customer attempted to steal two hams.

He was pursued by Mr. Rogers, who fired two shots at him, having the effect of at least making him drop the hams.

REDUCED RATES.

On account of meetings at Hopkinsville to be addressed by Rev. D. T. Moody the Illinois Central railroad will sell tickets to Hopkinsville and return on April 8, at \$3.15; good until April 12 returning.

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COUNTY AND CITY COURTS.

W. S. Gholson Elected County Road Supervisor in Fiscal Court—Franchise Tax Cases Heard.

Two Cases in the Police Court Were Dismissed—The Hallahan Case Still on in the Circuit Court.

POLICE COURT.

The case against Tom Ross, a painter, for robbery, was dismissed in the police court this forenoon.

Ross was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of going through Tom Crutchfield's pockets while he was lying drunk in an alley.

He did not deny taking a half dollar, but said Crutchfield told him to take it and put him to bed. Crutchfield was so drunk he remembered nothing about it, and taking all the facts into consideration, the warrant was dismissed.

Bob Woods, a son of Mr. Dave Woods, 13 years old, was arraigned on a warrant charging him with feeding hay that did not belong to him to his horse.

Woods said he left to get rid of the hay. When he returned he found the hay on the floor, and the boy gone.

The defendant claimed he did not throw the hay down. That there was a colored boy who was there and wanted to borrow some harness.

Woods said he left to get rid of the boy. When he returned he found the hay on the floor, and the boy gone.

Owing to the conflicting evidence and the boy's age, he was given the benefit of the doubt and acquitted.

FISCAL COURT.

Dr. King Brooks has graduated in dentistry, and yesterday returned from Chicago.

Earnhart was here, and left on March 29th. He stopped at the St. Nicholas hotel.

Mr. J. P. Buchanan, representing the Frank A. Menne Candy Co., of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Supt. Holly, of the Water Co., has gone to Michigan on a visit to his mother. He will go to Lockport, N. Y., before he returns.

Messrs. B. and M. A. Jacobs, who are to open the Hubb dry goods store here, arrived this morning from St. Louis to complete arrangements.

Mr. M. A. Prince, of Fulton, of the delivery firm of Fowler & Prince, was in the city today looking for one George D. Earnhart. The latter came to Paducah a week or more ago in a buggy, and is alleged to have sold the buggy and horse, belonging to Mr. Prince, to some one in the city.

THE BEST EVER SEEN.

Prof. Gentry's famous dog and pony show is easily the best show of its kind ever seen in this city, and the largest tent which will be located at the corner of Ohio and Third streets, for two days, starting Tuesday, April 11, in the afternoon at 2:30 and in the evening at 8 o'clock, will no doubt be taxed to its utmost capacity to accommodate the crowds who will want to see the talented little animals display their various accomplishments, of which they are well supplied.

Prof. Gentry's show will be well worth attending, and all the ladies and children should not fail to take advantage of the opportunity to see these wonderful animals who do everything but talk, and, it is said, come very near doing that at times. The prices of admission are children 10 cents; adults 20 cents.

WINDSOR HALL.

The subject of the discourse tonight at Windsor Hall will be "Signs of the Times; or, What the Bible Says About Our Own Day and Generation." All are cordially invited to attend these meetings, which will continue at least over Sunday night.

REV. PENROD

Returns From Wickliffe, Where He Held a Meeting.

Rev. W. K. Penrod, of the First Baptist church, returned last night from Wickliffe, Ky., where he held a tea days' successful revival.

The meeting proved highly interesting, and much good was done.

Water Notice.

Patrons of the Water Co. are reminded that their rents expired March 31. Those desiring to renew this quarter's rent should do so before it is forgotten, as all premises not paid for on or before April 10 will be shut off.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be healthy, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

FOR SALE.

A good horse, 7 years old, and light wagon and harness. Inquire at this office.

Take your shoes to George Bernhard to be half sold, and get first-class work.

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ABANDONED THE CRUISE.

Young Man From Detroit With a Big Income Goes Home.

Mr. C. T. Frue, a young man from Detroit who has money to burn, has abandoned his trip to New Orleans on a shanty boat.

He and a Paducah young man fitted up a boat the early part of the week and started for a cruise to the Crescent City. At Metropolis one of the young men was robbed.

Last evening a stylish and handsome lady arrived from Detroit. She proved to be the young man's sister, and she came down to take charge of him and accompany him home.

It appears that he is in the habit of leaving home and taking little jaunts about the country. He was on one of the jaunts when his sister arrived and intercepted him.

The boat is in charge of a guard at Metropolis, where he was stopped, it is understood, and the young man will leave for home in a day or two.

CITY MATTERS.

The Council Meets Tonight. Board of Health Meeting.

City Hall Almost Deserted These Days—Officer Ullman Out.

The council meets tonight in called session to consider the franchise tax matter. Councilman Ezell is out today, after a several days' illness from rheumatism.

The board of health is in session this afternoon at the city hall. Among other things, sanitary inspectors are to be elected.

Officer Joe Ullman is out again after his recent illness. He was at the court house today attending the cases in which he is a witness.

The city hall is now almost deserted every day, Marshal Collins and nearly all the police being kept at the court house as witnesses in various cases. Some of the night men are deprived of considerable sleep, also, by having to attend court.

Officer Gray has returned from Hopkinsville, where he carried Rockwell Thompson, adjudged insane day before yesterday.

A handsome hat will be given away with every fine Easter suit.

M. EISEN & CO., 212 Broadway.

See Noah's Ark's Easter eggs. They are the prettiest ever put on sale in this city.

A BAD SPRAIN.

Mr. Frank Orr Had a Mishap Yesterday.

Mr. Frank Orr, the ex-policeman, met with a serious accident on lower Broadway.

He descended from his beer wagon, and his coat in some manner caught on the seat. He was thrown violently down, and the result was his ankle received one of the worst sprains possible.

His limb is now badly swollen, and Mr. Orr will doubtless be laid up for some time.

Special prices will be made tomorrow on the beautiful line of Easter novelties at Noah's Ark.

We do not claim the world with a fence around it, but we do claim we have some spring shoes you ought to have.

842 LENDLER & LYDON.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Morris, the 2-year-old son of Mr. W. S. Edwards, died of membranous croup, at the family residence, 904 Broadway. Funeral at 10 a. m. tomorrow.

Oak Stove Wood.
One horse load for 50 cents; two horse load for \$1, delivered. Phone 242. T. C. SEAMON. 15m30

AFTER A DESPERADO.

Sheriff Story, of Tennessee, in Paducah Awhile.

Sheriff Story of Hardin county, Tenn., was in the city last night en route to Nashville, after desperado Thomas, under sentence to hang, but who has been granted a new trial.

He is thought to be hanging anyhow. He is one of the most desperate men in Tennessee. Sheriff Story was a guest of his cousin, Officer Orr, while here.

EASTER WILL BE PERFECT

If you wear a pair of those beautiful Easter shoes that can only be gotten at George Bernhard's.

Great slaughter in Easter Suits tomorrow. M. EISEN & CO., 212 Broadway.

Wood.

Telephone No. 29 for a nice two horse load delivered promptly. Price, \$1 cash. Ohio River Spoke and Rim Co., E. E. Bell. tf.

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You can cure it in one night with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. 25c at all druggists. No cure no pay.

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